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1. More than 14 months have passed since the filing date of the above-identified application.
2. Please advise the undersigned of the present status of this application and, if appropriate, provide a date of expected action by the examiner.

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